EMERGENCY ORDINANCE NO. FORBIDDING PURCHASE, DISPENSING, POSSESSION OR USE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON CERTAIN COUNTY PROPERTY FROM AUGUST 28, 1991, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2, 1991

The County Commissioners have been advised by the Sheriff's Department that, based on the Department's involvement with public functions this year, it expects an inordinate amount of alcohol use at the upcoming Ravalli County Fair. Further, the Department has advised the Commissioners that in such an event, it does not have the resources to protect the public health and safety.

Upon considering the same and considering the public health, safety and welfare, it is our opinion that the purchase, dispensing, possession or use of alcoholic beverages by any person at the Ravalli County Fairgrounds or adjacent County roads or County property from August 28, 1991, to September 2, 1991, should be prohibited.

Accordingly, we hereby adopt this emergency ordinance, and THE PURCHASE, DISPENSING, POSSESSION OR USE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BY ANY PERSON AT THE RAVALLI COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, ADJACENT COUNTY ROADS OR ADJACENT COUNTY PROPERTY, FROM AUGUST 28, 1991, THROUGH SEPTEMBER 2, 1991, IS HEREBY PROHIBITED.

<u>VIOLATIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE ARE PUNISHABLE BY A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500.00 OR IMPRISONMENT NOT TO EXCEED SIX MONTHS, OR BOTH.</u>

The effective date of this ordinance shall be August 28, 1991, and it shall be in effect until September 2, 1991.

Approved and passed this \_\_\_\_\_/5th day of August, 1991.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
Ravalli County, Montana

Jerry L. Allen, Chairman

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Steven D. Powell, Member

Allen C. Horsfall Jr., Member

ATTEST:

Betty T. Lund, Clerk and Recorder

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